

Bid documents were distributed to 23 general contractors. Bids were opened on October 30, 2008. AUSTIN FILTER SYSTEMS, INC. submitted the lowest of the four bids received:

Austin Filter Systems, Inc., Austin, TX	\$ 4,782,000.00
Quest Civil Constructors, Inc., Phoenix, AZ	\$ 7,777,777.00
DEMCO, Inc., West Seneca, NY	\$ 8,424,000.00
Austin Engineering Co., Inc., Austin, TX	\$ 9,013,200.00

The contractor's choice of work methodology provides for subcontracting opportunities in 19 areas which are listed below. Project specific subgoals stated in the solicitation were 2.13% African American; 4.75% Hispanic; 0.20% Native/Asian ; 1.72% WBE. Total participation estimated on bid amount of \$4,782,000.00:

NON M/WBE TOTAL – PRIME	\$2,632,155.66	55.04%
Austin Filter Systems, Inc., Austin, TX	\$2,632,155.66	55.04%
MBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	\$443,856.90	9.28%
African American Subtotal	\$109,000.00	2.28%
(MB) Always Distributing/Greater, Austin, TX (geo-textiles)	\$109,000.00	2.28%
Hispanic Subtotal	\$294,386.90	6.15%
(FH) Travis Paving & Excavating, Bastrop, TX (HMAC)	\$18,000.00	0.38%
(MH) JAG Trucking, Georgetown, TX (aggregate hauling & supply)	\$128,461.90	2.68%
(MH) Benitez Construction, Manor, TX (pipe culverts, reinforced concrete)	\$147,925.00	3.09%
Native/Asian American Subtotal	\$40,470.00	0.85%
(FA) Metalink Corp., Austin, TX (fence)	\$40,470.00	0.85%
WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	\$190,707.44	3.99%
(FW) Roadway Specialties, Inc., Austin, TX (erosion control)	\$64,561.00	1.35%
(FW) N-Line Traffic Maintenance, Austin, TX (traffic control equipment)	\$18,000.00	0.38%
(FW) McRyan Hauling, Roanoke, TX (aggregate hauling)	\$4,325.00	0.09%
(FW) Shades of Green, Austin, TX (irrigation, landscaping)	\$103,821.44	2.17%
NON M/WBE TOTAL – SUBCONTRACTORS	\$1,515,280.00	31.69%
Transit Mix Concrete & Materials Co., Dallas, TX (concrete, ready mix)	\$4,000.00	0.08%
Custom Crete, Austin, TX (concrete, ready mix)	\$10,000.00	0.21%
Superior Stone, Jarrell, TX (limestone blocks)	\$20,405.00	0.43%
Pen Hall Co., Austin TX (curb & gutter cutting)	\$1,500.00	0.03%
Micro Dirt, Creedmoor, TX (organic top soil)	\$30,600.00	0.64%
Marcum Trucking, Hutto, TX (hauling blocks)	\$10,500.00	0.22%
L&O Electric, Austin, TX (electrical)	\$32,000.00	0.67%
Hunter Demolition & Wrecking Corp., Jourdanon, TX (sitework, demolition, excavation, embankment, garbage/trash removal, Hazardous materials, asbestos abatement)	\$1,200,000.00	25.09%
Insitu Form Technologies, Buda, TX (sewer & storm drainage construction)	\$164,000.00	3.43%
Bryant & Frey, Waco, TX (boring)	\$22,275.00	0.47%
Baseline Survey, Austin, TX (surveying)	\$20,000.00	0.42%

The Contractor submitted an M/WBE Compliance Plan that met the goals of the solicitation and was approved by the Department of Small and Minority Business Resources. Second and third low bidder information is provided.

SECOND BIDDER – Quest Civil Constructors, Inc., Phoenix, AZ \$7,777,777.00
55.98% NON M/WBE prime participation; 2.14% African American; 5.60% Hispanic; 0.29% Native/Asian;
2.85% WBE; 33.14% Non M/WBE subcontractor participation.

THIRD BIDDER – DEMCO, Inc., West Seneca, NY \$8,424,000.00
91.20% NON M/WBE prime participation; 2.13% African American; 4.75% Hispanic; 0.20% Native/Asian;
1.72% WBE; 0.00% Non M/WBE subcontractor participation.